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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 2663**

PATENT

Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 06502.0177

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Rajeev CHAWLA et al.) Group Art Unit: 2663
Application No.: 09/545,571) Examiner: D. Ferris
Filed: April 7, 2000) Confirmation No: 1838
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR)
PROVIDING A TRANSPARENT)
PROXY SERVER)

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Commissioner for Patents
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AFTER FINAL AMENDMENT

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed February 21, 2006, the period for response which extends through May 21, 2006, Applicants propose to amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.